

REMARKS

Applicants have reviewed and carefully considered the Restriction Requirement of April 8, 2008. The Examiner restricted the claims into two groups:

Group I: claims 1-12, and 16-17, drawn to a composition;
and

Group II: claims 13-15, drawn to a method of making the composition.

In response to the above Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group I, without traverse. In addition, Applicant elects dihydrolipoic acid as the species in claim 4, and safflower oil as the species in claim 5.

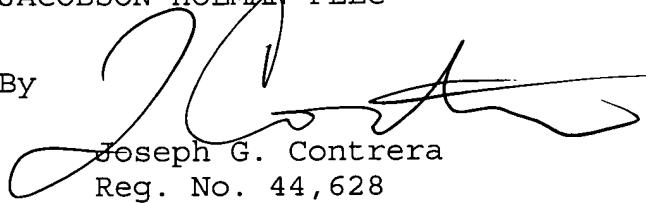
It is believed that a full and complete response has been made to the outstanding Restriction Requirement and, as such, the present application is in condition for examination on the merits and allowance. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

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Respectfully submitted,

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